

Overview

- SDI Design
 - Hardware configuration
 - Software configuration
- Satellites signals and SDI-104 availability

Hardware Configuration

- PC/104-Plus
- LittleBoard 735
- 1 GHz CPU
- Disk: 160 Gbyte IDE
- Boot from compact flash
- Ethernet: Up to 1G/s
- Connectors for monitor and keyboard
- Mounted in 2U rack box



Hardware Configuration

Data rates tested up to 40 Mbits/s

- Connectors:
 - D15P
 - BNC
- Configuration:
 - Single ended (TTL)
 - RS422 (differential)
- Data types
 - NRZ-L, NRZ-M, NRZ-S
 - Jumper configurable





Software Configuration

- Knoppix 6.7.1 (Linux 3.0.41)
 - Up-to-date security
 - Compatible with old binaries
 - Upgrade to Knoppix for older SDI-104 systems running DSL planned (date TBD)
- Can be configured as a standalone ingestor/server, or write data to an external disk (via NFS, for example)

Event Notification

- Notifications are dependent on signal type:
 - Image start (not for POES)
 - Image end (not for GVAR Imager)
- Three types of notifications:
 - Send an email
 - Write notification to a file (log messages)
 - Run a program or script

SDI-104 Status for Current Satellites

- GOES: up-to-date for all satellites
 - Inq. 15153: Increase tracking delay to account for long delays from sounder during sub-CONUS sectors
 - Inq. 15273: Fixed problem with SIZE=SAME or ALL. There were coding errors that were manifested depending on the compiler

SDI-104 Status for Current Satellites

- MTSAT: up-to-date for both satellites
 - May want to add swap space if running DSL (noisy data)
- POES AVHRR:
 - Up-to-date for all satellites
 - Unable to test direct reception, although a system is running at NWS Honolulu
- FY-2: Chinese geostationary
 - Ingestor in use in Japan

SDI-104 Status for Current Satellites

- MSG:
 - Not available
- Metop
 - Not available*
- Suomi NPP
 - Not available*

* See next slide

SDI-104 Polar Reception

- Receive data from many polar satellites: Suomi NPP, NOAA POES, Aqua, Metop, FY-3, Terra, Meteor-M
- No ADDE servers nor McIDAS dependency
- Process to Level 1b and products on separate workstation: CSPP and AAPP
- Development expected to begin soon

New Geostationary Satellites

COMS: S. Korean satellite

- Subpoint: 128° East
- There are no plans for broadcast to US, therefore no SDI-104 anticipated
- SSEC Data Center receiving real-time data via Internet from KMA

Future Geostationary Satellites

- Himawari 8: Japan
 - Follow-on to MTSAT
 - AHI instrument, similar to ABI
 - Internet-only distribution is expected

Future Geostationary Satellites



• GOES-R:

- Industry-standard delivery (CCSDS)
- SDI-104 is designed and tested for data rates up to 40 Mbits/s
- GOES-R Rebroadcast (GRB)
 simulator expected by the end of the year

SDI Sunset

- Original SSEC Desktop ingestor will be sunset on 31 December 2013
 - We are not able to provide nor recommend hardware components if these would fail
 - The operating system used is an unsupported version of Solaris, which has been lacking security updates for several years.

SDI Sunset

- Upgrade Option 1
 - Upgrade to a SDI-104 during 2013: (recommended)
 - Cost is the back-up price: \$15,000
 - Support continues at \$8,340/year



SDI Sunset

- Upgrade Option 2
 - Upgrade to a SDI-104 after 2013:
 - Cost is the price of a new SDI-104: \$20,000
 - Support starts at \$8,340/year
 - http://www.ssec.wisc.edu/mcidas/new s/sdi_sunset.html



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